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Troy Hickman

days ago I attended a meeting in Chicago, the "City." The weather was quite cool at the time. My coat felt welcome after

gets how many people in the world. Most of them are in Chicago. From eight to ten mornings and from ten in the evenings, they get up out of the subway terminals and flowed across streets like rivers.

is a dirty old town. A black soot is on everything. At the end of a white shirt has black stains on the collar and cuffs. Buildings have a smoky patina on them.

the prettiest drives is ashore of the lake, northward. This trip on a public transportation system, you take a train anywhere on State Street. These things run like a car line, and away they go. Great blasts of steam from the trains. The ladies to grab their purses and the men to clasp down their newspapers.

ety-clack, clickety-click!" I have passed a score or more, you are now about a mile from where you got on. Change cars at Howard

off, go through a little gate, and climb the stairs to street level. You are now right under the "L" or "railroad." You climb some stairs and get up on a big scaffold high above the street. A minute a train stops and you crawl on — or rather, you slip on.

ety-clack, clickety-click," you go again, only this time you are sailing along at above fifty miles an hour. You are looking out or down on the roofs of apartment houses. You look right into people's windows and you pass close enough to grab the curtains in your hand.

In your destination is Evanston, you get off at the Davis street stations, climb down the steps to street level and start walking. In about ten minutes you come into the business district of that college suburb. The houses and yards are large and well kept. You pass a number of magnificent churches. The campus of Northwestern University is close by. Right in front of you is the shoreline of Lake Michigan.

The big residential suburbs of Chicago are much the same. But each city has its own down-town personality. There are some signs of a business recession in downtown Chicago. Lots of buildings have "For Rent" signs on them. Very few automobiles venture into the jungle of the thick traffic. Most natives use the car, bus, elevated, or subway. The transportation system is efficient. They say you can go any part of the city in a few minutes for a few cents.

There I read an issue of Chicago Tribune and one of the editorial American. Each one about the size of an average newspaper, weighing a couple of pounds. It was advertising and advertising features, with about five pages of news scattered about. Michigan is about the most

or High Grid Starts Practice

Eighty-eight junior high school hopefuls reported to their coach, Womack, to begin this week. The boys are put through their paces after school in preparation for the eight-game schedule. Games have already been scheduled for the pee-wee squad, the Sonora and two with El Paso. Negotiations are now under way for double bills with the Big Lake juniors.

Property Values Near 23 Million In Crockett Co.

Over Million Increase Registered Over '50 Valuations

Crockett county's property valuations for tax purposes jumped another million dollars plus to hang up another record of nearly 23 million dollars, according to a compilation of figures completed this week by Mrs. Gertrude Perry, office deputy for V. O. Earnest, sheriff, tax assessor and collector.

The valuation total was \$22,971,898. Mrs. Perry's figures revealed this is an increase of \$1,355,458 over last year's total valuations and will mean an additional revenue of over \$33,000 in state, county and school taxes to be collected in the county.

The \$22 million plus valuation is divided as follows: Acreage valuation, \$18,565,605; city property, \$503,290; personal property, \$3,913,003.

On the basis of the announced property valuations, the total tax bill, including state, county and school taxes, to be paid from October through January, will amount to \$639,738.97, of which the state's part, on a 42-cent tax rate, will be \$93,130.89; the county's part on a rate of 95 cents, will be \$218,233.24, and the school's part on a rate of \$1.50 on the \$100 valuation will be \$328,374.84.

The usual discount schedule for prompt payment of taxes, 3 percent in October, 2 percent in November and 1 percent in December, will apply this year only to county and state taxes. Under an agreement reached with oil companies operating in the county at a budget hearing with the Commissioners Court, it was agreed that the discount would be eliminated on the school tax, thus making further valuation raises unnecessary to meet the budget.

Texas Air Tour Joined By Flyers All Over State

Fliers to Stop at Ozona Airport Sunday, Oct. 7

AUSTIN. — Plans for the Third Annual All Texas Air Tour will be launched this week setting the dates of October 6-13 for the week-long, 3,000 mile tour. Private plane owners from all parts of Texas will participate.

The purpose of this airlift is to focus attention on the need for emergency planning and to spotlight the role of private aircraft as an asset in a nation, state or local disaster. Simulated supplies, food, doctors and nurses will be flown in to each stop along the route. Other activity will be planned to place emphasis on local emergency planning efforts.

Invitations are being issued to all Texas legislators to accompany the tour and get a first-hand view of aviation's civil defense preparation in the State. Local civil defense authorities will handle ground activities of the airlift. Beginning with a luncheon at Temple, Texas, Saturday, Oct. 6, the tour, which is sponsored by the Texas Flying Farmers, Texas Private Flyers Association, Texas State Aviation Association and the Texas Aeronautics Commission will visit 39 cities. Full cooperation has been pledged by all Chambers of Commerce and airport managers already contacted. They have assured the tour committee of big turn-outs and receptions at each place.

The air armada will stop at Ozona airport Sunday morning, Oct. 7, coming here from Eagle Pass, first overnight stop of the week-long tour. The tour will take off from Ozona for Monahans. From there the flight will go to Midland and thence to San Angelo for an over-night stop.

OHS Lions Battle Big Lake in Opener Here Friday Night



OZONA LIONS - 1951

Front Row: Left to right — Allen Hairs, Antonio Rodriguez, Sammy Martinez, Jr., Don Taylor, David Price, Ronnie McMullan, Charles Hale, Virgil Machado, Baldomero Ramon, Kenneth Bledsoe.

Second Row: Andres Aguirre, Jimmy McMullan, Joe Bailey, Bill Maness, Wilburn Conklin, Sam Martinez, Billy West, Onesimo De Hoyas, Tom Piner, Pete Cisneros.

Top Row: Coach Peltz, Coach Wilkins, Kenneth Phillips, Graham Childress, Charles Garlitz, Bobby Womack, Buddy Whitley, Bill Schneemann, Don Cooper, Scott Hickman, Mgr. Norris Pogue, and Coach Womack.

Annual P. T. A. Carnival Set For October 2

Support Urged For Only Money-Raising Event Planned

With sights set on one of the most varied and entertaining events ever staged, the Ozona Parents-Teachers Association has announced plans for the annual P. T. A. Carnival, which is to be staged in the city park this year on Tuesday evening, October 2.

The carnival will be the only money-raising project to be undertaken by the P. T. A. this year, and members are expecting wholehearted support from the entire county to make the event one of the best and most lucrative in its history.

P. T. A. executives, planning the annual event in conferences this week, made provisions for inclusion of all of the usual booths and entertainment features of past years and announced addition of several new features.

Among the new features will be the "County Fair," which will function on the order of a bazaar. P. T. A. members have pledged cakes, cookies, candy, home-made preserves, aprons, cup towels, etc., and possibly some live animals.

Mrs. Joe Clayton will be in charge of the "County Fair" and persons interested in making donations to this booth are invited to communicate with Mrs. Clayton.

An 8-months old Shetland pony will be given away during the carnival. Tickets for the Shetland pony award will be on sale soon at \$1 each, with Mrs. Jake Young in charge of the sale of tickets.

P. T. A. officers are busy this week making assignments of committees to be in charge of the various features of the carnival, this list to be released next week. Meanwhile, they urge Ozonians to reserve the night of October 2 as P. T. A. Carnival Night and make plans to attend the event in the city park.

Accident Insurance For Students, Teachers Available Thru School

A Denver life accident insurance firm has provided a new accident insurance plan for students and teachers of the Ozona Public Schools. Supt. Lem Bray said this week. The policy covers all accidents to an individual while engaged in school activities at a cost of \$1 per year. Injuries to athletes covered in other policies, are not included in this policy.

New Motor Vehicle Laws Studied at Tax Collectors' Meeting

Sheriff V. O. Earnest and Mrs. Gertrude Perry, deputy, attended a district meeting of tax collectors and motor vehicle registration officials from all over the western half of Texas at Odessa Tuesday.

Purpose of the meeting, called by the Motor Vehicle Division of the State Highway Department, was to acquaint county tax officials with a number of new laws relating to registration and tax on motor vehicles in Texas. Several officials of the department were present for the all-day meeting to answer questions and give the county officials information on new procedures in motor vehicle registration and taxes.

Among the new laws in effect this year are the new sales taxes and use taxes, new weight limits, compulsory motor vehicle inspection law, financial responsibility law for drivers and several more new regulations imposed by the last legislature. Similar meetings have been set in other parts of the state by the Department for the benefit of tax offices in all counties of the state.

New Building for Colored School to Be Dedicated Sept. 17

Formal opening of the Lockett Elementary School for colored children has been tentatively set for Monday, Sept. 17, at 1 p. m. Supt. Lem Bray has announced.

The new building to house the colored school, purchased from a building concern in San Angelo where it was built and then moved to the location here, cost \$4,000. Finishing touches on the new building are nearing completion. It is a one story frame building with asbestos siding, hardwood floors and will provide necessary facilities for the needs of the student body. Colored students have been attending classes in the Baptist church in the colored community. The new building, facing north, occupies a site approximately a block north of the softball field.

The Lockett school was named in honor of its first teacher, Mrs. Ira Lockett Taylor. Mrs. Taylor's sister, Mrs. Connie Lockett Lofgren, is teaching in the school this year.

Parent-Teachers To Hold First Meet Mon.

Ozona Parent-Teacher Association will hold its first meeting of the current school year next Monday afternoon, September 17, at 3:30 o'clock in the high school auditorium.

"Do We Know Each Other?" will be the theme for the opening meeting. Rev. J. Troy Hickman, pastor of the Methodist Church, will give the devotional. Members of the executive committee of the Association will be hosts for the day. All parents are urged to attend.

Powell To Test Conoco-Humble Strawn Strike

Water Recovered on Ellenburger Test, To Plug Back

Recovery was 2,310 feet of salt water on a test of the Ellenburger in an indicated second and deeper pay opener, probably the Strawn, in the World field in northern Crockett county.

Continental and Humble No. 1-E L. P. Powell estate of San Angelo drilled from 8,238 to 8,288 feet for 100 minutes. Open flowing bottomhole pressure was 1,975 pounds.

No. 1-E Powell estate was plugged back to 8,200 feet, just inside the top of the Ellenburger. It is understood the operator will set casing at 8,200 feet and test the Strawn through perforations.

No. 1-E L. P. Powell estate recovered 30 feet of mud on a 45-minute drillstem test from 8,196 to 8,238 feet.

It showed gas and oil on two earlier drillstem tests from 8,087 to 8,108 feet and from 8,105 to 8,129 feet in the Strawn. No. 1-E Powell estate entered the lime at 8,087 feet. Location is 660 feet south, 1,820 feet from west line of section 62-BB-GC&SF survey.

Southland Royalty Co. and others No. 1-8 Todd, wildcat 4 1/2 miles southwest of the Todd multiphase field, was drilling at 7,140 feet in lime, shale and sand.

Amerada has staked location for a north offset to its No. 1-K Todd estate, recently completed San Andres strike in the Todd multiphase field in Crockett county.

The firm's No. 2-K Todd estate, slated 2,000-foot cable tool test to start at once, will be 990 feet north, 1,663 feet from west line of section 15-10-GC&SF survey.

Drilling to 2,200 feet with cable tools and starting at once in the Olson field, Plymouth No. 17-M Shannon estate will be 900 feet south, 354 feet from west line of league 1. Archer county school land survey.

L. H. Armer No. 28-A L. P. Powell, projected to 2,800 feet with rotary in the World pool, will be 933 feet north, 1,321 feet from west line of section 2-BB2-N. A Miller survey.

Sixteen miles southwest of Big Lake, Lion Oil Co. No. 2 Mrs. Maggie S. Neal of San Angelo was preparing to run surface pipe, with total depth 525 feet in lime and shale.

Sun No. 1 Mrs. Myrtle Mitchell of Ozona, slated 15,000-footer in the southwestern part of the county, was cleaning out before drilling ahead, with total depth 657 feet in hard lime.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Baggett entertained with a barbecue supper in their garden Tuesday night for Mrs. Pearl Perner of Parrat, Mexico, who is here visiting relatives and friends.

Lions Meet First Test Friday Nite Against Big Lake

Grid Season Opener Set for 8 p. m. at Lions Stadium

Coach Larry Wilkins will pit his untried Ozona Lions of 1951 against the Reagan County Owls from Big Lake on Lions Field here Friday night to raise the curtain on the 1951 football season in these parts.

The adjective "untried" as applied to the Lions should be modified somewhat and applied to an actual game. As a matter of fact, the Lions have been "tried" in recent days in some tough scrimmage sessions with the McCamey Badgers and with the Del Rio high squad, as well as in daily workouts under an intensive schedule imposed by Coach Wilkins. And the lads are showing up to some advantage, Coach Wilkins cautiously admits.

The Friday night battle is expected to be on fairly even terms. The Owls have 15 returning lettermen from last year's squad, while the Lions have 11. The Lions will have some edge in weight in the line but the Owls will have more beef in the back field.

Coach Wilkins won't exactly use the two-platoon system, but he will make four or five substitutions from offensive to defensive teams. The probable offensive starting line-up will be Tom Piner, halfback; Joe Bailey, quarter; Billy West, fullback; Virgil Machado, halfback; Bill Schneemann, center; Don Cooper, guard; Jimmy McMullan, guard; Bobby Womack, tackle; Pete Cisneros, tackle; Charles Garlitz and Bill Maness, ends.

The defensive team will see Piner at safety; Machado at left half; Allen Hairs, right half; Schneemann and Cooper, linebackers; Onesimo De Hoyas and Kootsie Smith, guards; Womack and Cisneros, tackles; Baldomero Ramon and Garlitz at ends.

A giant street parade and pep rally at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon will herald the opening football game. The Crockett County Sheriff's Posse will join with the high school band and pep squad in a downtown parade and pep rally. Game time is 8 o'clock.

Court Convenes Monday; Petit Jury Dismissed

Grand Jury to Be Impaneled at 10 a. m. Monday

Full term of the 112th district court for Crockett County will be convened at 10 o'clock Monday morning by District Judge Garland Casbeer of Fort Stockton.

Only members of the grand jury panel will be required to report for the court opening, the petit jury panel, summoned to appear in court Tuesday morning having been dismissed. After the petit jury panel had been summoned, the court found that no cases requiring a jury were likely to be ready for trial and he ordered the sheriff to notify the petit jury panel that it would not be required to appear Tuesday morning.

Non jury matters will occupy the court's attention in what is expected to be another brief session here.

Members of the grand jury panel, summoned to report at 10 o'clock Monday morning, include, Clay Adams, Walter Augustine, W. R. Baggett, Jr., Pink Beall, Nip Blackston, Early Chandler, Hugh Childress, Jr., Reyes Cisneros, L. B. Cox, Jr., Ted Doggett, Samuel Martinez, Richard Miller, C. A. North, T. C. Harris, Hillery Phillips and Madden Read.

Mrs. Jack Holt and Joan have returned from a vacation trip to California.

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WANTED — A GENIUS

A few years ago the people of England were sold the idea that government was a far more efficient manager of industrial enterprise than private citizens. Since then, England has become a socialized state and the theory of the superiority of the state as a producer within the framework of democratic government has been put to the acid test. The result has been tragically disillusioning. In the words of Bernard Harris, writing in The Sunday Express, London, England, "Socialization has failed... because the genius who might make it work can't be found."

The people of England are discovering that governments are run by ordinary men with no greater capacities for solving rabbits out of hats than the rest of us. They also found that as a producer, the government is utterly incompetent measured by the standards of free enterprise.

All through the ranks of socialized British industry the story is the same — deterioration. According to The Express, coal now costs

between two and three times as much as it did before the war. It is of poorer quality. Even with higher prices coal production is falling and the industry is running at a loss. State transport finished the year with a heavy deficit and poor service. The state directors of the gas and electric industries are in trouble too. They forecast higher charges and power cuts that will go on for years. They complain of the high ash content in the coal and charge their near neighbor, the government-run railroads, with profiteering. The nationalized airline and cable industries are no better off. Deficits and poor service apparently plague virtually every commercial activity in which the government has become involved — with taxpayers and consumers footing the bill.

"It is one of the defects of socialization," concludes The Express, "that you can't always give the important jobs to the men best fitted by experience for them. The waiting queue is always a long one, and too often men have to be selected for reasons other than competence." Even if the genius could be found who might make socialism work, it would be most unlikely that he would get the job.

County Home Rule Amendment Advocated

AUSTIN — The Texas Constitution needs a new home rule amendment, according to a University of Texas Institute of Public Affairs study.

Rewriting the county amendment is recommended by Research Associate John P. Keith in a new Institute publication, "City and County Home Rule in Texas."

Keith notes that cities have been given sufficient power to solve local problems. He calls for similar power for counties.

If you want to see 90, don't look for it on the speedometer.

When you ask for a rough estimate of the cost of building a home today, it's really rough. But still not as rough as the final cost.

Dedicate 16 Million Dollar Taxpayers' Dam At San Angelo Sept. 16

SAN ANGELO. — A visitor's tour of the North Concho Dam and Reservoir at San Angelo will highlight dedication ceremonies for the world's longest earthen-filled dam September 16.

Visitors at the ceremonies will be guided on a tour of the seven-mile embankment that cost \$16,000,000.00 to complete as a project of the U. S. Corps of Engineers. Ceremonies will begin at 2:30 p.m.

U. S. Representative O. C. Fisher will be featured speaker at the dedication. Others on the program will include Colonel Louis W. Prentiss, division engineer, Southern Division of the U. S. Corps of Engineers and Colonel Delbert B. Freeman, district engineer, of the U. S. Corps of Engineers.

Gates at each end of earth embankment will be closed to the public after Sunday. The embankment rises above the northern edge of San Angelo's city limits dwarfing the city's skyline. The dam's intake structure is taller than the highest building in downtown San Angelo.

Closing of the flood gates will form a conservation pool with 27 miles of shoreline. The reservoir is designed to protect the city of San Angelo and other areas below the dam site from flood water. The conservation storage will be used for municipal and industrial needs and possibly for the irrigation of farm land.

Engineers concerned with the building of the dam, state and federal dignitaries and boosters of the project will be guests at the dedication ceremonies. The dedication site will be down stream side of the north bank of the North Concho some 4 miles from downtown San Angelo.

Campaign Dates Set For Gonzales Warm Springs Fund Drive

GONZALES. — Dates for the state-wide drive to raise funds for Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation for Crippled Children, Texas' own treatment center for physically handicapped youngsters, have been set for September 16-30, according to announcement by Ross Booth, Foundation President.

Governor Allan Shivers is serving as general chairman of the Gonzales Foundation committee, spearheading the appeal for funds

to expand the facilities of the non-profit, non-sectarian hospital.

Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation operates a 115-bed hospital, chartered by the state but built by contributions from generous Texans from every corner of the state and dependent upon them for support. It bears the stamp of approval of the American College of Surgeons, emblematic of the high calibre of the treatment program offered to any Texas child

regardless of color, creed or financial condition.

A building program is under way at the Foundation which will add approximately 30 beds to its capacity, providing space for the treatment of about 100 more children each year. Money raised by public subscription during this September campaign will be used to provide these and other facilities to enable the Gonzales Foundation to extend its medical pro-

gram to many more handicapped ones in Texas. RANCHES FOR SALE What have you? See J. T. G... Two-dollar bills are not only if you don't have them. It's the fresh egg that's ped in the pan.

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Sept. Marriage of Miss Lillian Schneemann to Clyde Benton Sikes, Jr., Announced at Tea

To announce the approaching marriage of her daughter, Lillian, to Clyde Benton Sikes, Jr., of Ozona, Mrs. Max Schneemann is entertaining with a tea at her home here from 4 to 6 o'clock this afternoon.

Guests at the door will be Mrs. Stephen Perner, Mrs. Paul Perner, Mrs. Marshall Montgomery and Mrs. ElieHagelstein. Seated guests will be Mrs. Schneemann and Lillian, Mrs. Miller Robinson, Mrs. C. B. Sikes, Sr., mother of the bridegroom-to-be, Mrs. Boyd Cox of Rankin and Miss Schneemann.

Aunts of the bride-to-be will be Mrs. Hugh Childers, Mrs. W. R. Baggett, Mrs. Louise Marchison of Rankin and Mrs. Ray Henderson. Assisting in the dining room will be Misses Jo Lee Brewer, Dixie and Tiba McMillan, Sue Meinecke, Lucy Ann Wade of Barnhart, Edith Lou Phillips and Benny Gail Phillips, Mrs. Joe Boat, Mrs. James Baggett, Mrs. Jack Brewer and Mrs. Bill Childers. Music is to be provided by Miss Kay Kirby, Mrs. Bode Owens of Barnhart and Mrs. C. D. Allan of San Angelo. Eda Ann Robinson will be at the bride's side.

Others in the house party include Mrs. Ira Carson, Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Mrs. Joe Oberkamp, Mrs. J. C. Montgomery, Mrs. Ashby McMillan, Mrs. George Beath of San Angelo, Mrs. Fleet Coates,

Wednesday morning, Sept. 13, at the home of Mrs. Floyd Henderson, Mrs. Joe Pierce will be the program leader. Assisting Mrs. Henderson as hostesses will be Mrs. Paul Perner, Mrs. L. D. Kirby, Mrs. Max Schneemann and Mrs. Joe Friend.

At The Stockman office.

Mrs. Tom Harris, Mrs. W. Eod, Mrs. Tom Harris, Mrs. Lowell Littleton, Mrs. W. E. Friend, Jr., Mrs. Joe Pierce, Mrs. John Carter and Mrs. Hillery Phillips. The bride's chosen colors of wine and pink are carried out in table and house decorations. The table is centered with a styro-foam wedding bell and white and covered with pink net in a setting of pink feverfew. The clapper is a miniature bride and groom. Wine ribbon streamers from the centerpiece to silver candelabra holding pink candles at each end of the table carried the nuptial announcement in gold lettering, "Lillian and Clyde — September." Pink and wine gladiolas and mums were used in the dining and reception rooms, and fall flowers were used throughout the house.

Miss Schneemann, a graduate of Ozona High School, attended Stephens College in Columbia, Missouri and Texas Christian University in Fort Worth. Young Sikes, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Sikes, Sr., of Childress, Texas, also attended T. C. U. and is now in the United States Air Force stationed at Lackland Field in San Antonio.

MONTHLY WSCS PROGRAM

The monthly program for all Circles of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will be held next



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Easy Makes His "Cat" Tread Lightly

Coming home on Three Ponds yesterday, I was flung down by Easy Roberts' boy Skeeter. "It's slow," he advised. "Dad's changing this road with our tractor, beyond the bend."

Around the curve I saw why Skeeter stopped me. Easy had laid rows of old truck tires across the road, and was driving his new tractor over them!

"More trouble this way," Easy explains, "but it does keep those truck tracks from tearing up the road when I have to cross over other fields. After all, the

roads belong to all of us — and I guess I'd get mad if someone else chewed them up."

From where I sit, Easy is my kind of citizen. He doesn't just give democracy lip service. He honestly believes it's his duty to consider the other fellow's interests. Whether it's the right to use the public highways or the right to enjoy an occasional glass of beer, Easy's out to protect his neighbor's "right of way."

Joe Marsh

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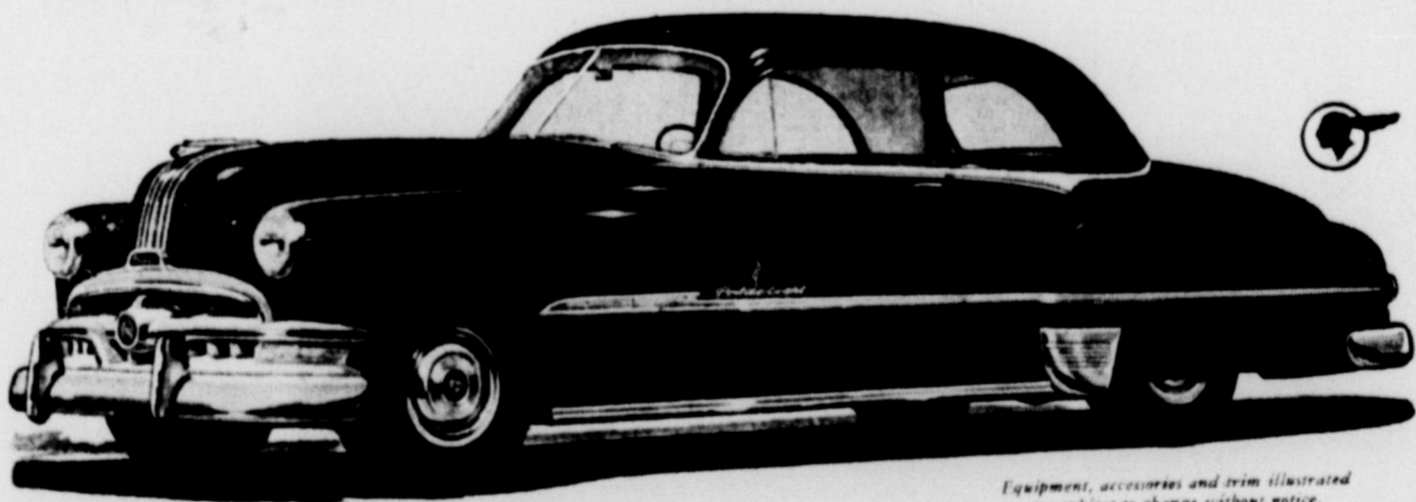
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Ozona Literary Club Honors President at Breakfast Saturday

Ozona Literary Club launched its new season activities last Saturday morning with a breakfast at the House of Flowers Tea Room honoring the president.

New officers for the year were installed and objectives of the club year were outlined. The new officers are Mrs. Ken Cody, president; Mrs. Robert Levo, first vice president; Mrs. Joe Whatley, second vice president; Mrs. Warren Tallafiero, recording secretary; Mrs. J. P. Pogue, corresponding secretary; Mrs. B. W. Stuart, historian and reporter, and Mrs. L. B. Harris, parliamentarian.

The president named the following committees: Program, Mrs. Robert Levo and Mrs. Mrs. B. W. Stuart; Civic, Mrs. Al Cowan and Mrs. L. B. Harris; Entertainment, Mrs. Roy Sewell and Mrs. Bob Franklin; Finance, Mrs. Cleophas Cooke; Membership, Mrs. Joe Whatley and Mrs. Warren Tallafiero; Courtesy, Mrs. J. P. Pogue.

Projects adopted for the coming year include contributions to the Musical Penny fund, the Penny Art fund, the Latin - American scholarship fund and the Golden Jubilee Endowment fund. A sweet sale will be held for the benefit of the polio fund and the club will sponsor a Girl Scout troop, buy trash cans for the business district of Ozona and make monthly donations to Boys' Ranch.

Present were Mrs. Ken Cody, Mrs. Cleophas Cooke, Mrs. Robert Levo, Mrs. L. B. Harris, Mrs. J. P. Pogue, Mrs. Roy Sewell, Mrs. Ben Williams, Mrs. B. W. Stuart, Mrs. Lem Bray, Mrs. Al Cowan, Mrs. Taylor Deaton, Mrs. W. E. Ramsey, Mrs. J. K. Colquitt, Mrs. Bob Franklin, Mrs. Paul Newton, Mrs. J. A. Peltz, Mrs. George Massingill and Mrs. Blake Yager.

The next meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. J. P. Pogue on September 18 at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Leader for the day's program will be Mrs. Ben Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Apple and children are visiting in Dallas.

Humble to Kick-Off 18th Season of S'west Football Broadcasts

Humble Oil & Refining Co. will kick off its eighteenth consecutive season of Southwest Conference football broadcasts on Friday, September 21, at 9:20 C.S.T. The game will feature the Texas Aggies versus U. C. L. A. in Los Angeles, and will be the first of 45 football broadcasts which the Humble Company will bring to Texas listeners during the 1951 season. On Saturday, four other broadcasts will provide fans with a complete picture of football action during this first week-end of the season. Those contests are: S. M. U. versus Georgia Tech and Texas U. versus Kentucky on Saturday afternoon; Baylor versus the University of Houston and T. C. U. versus Kansas that same evening.

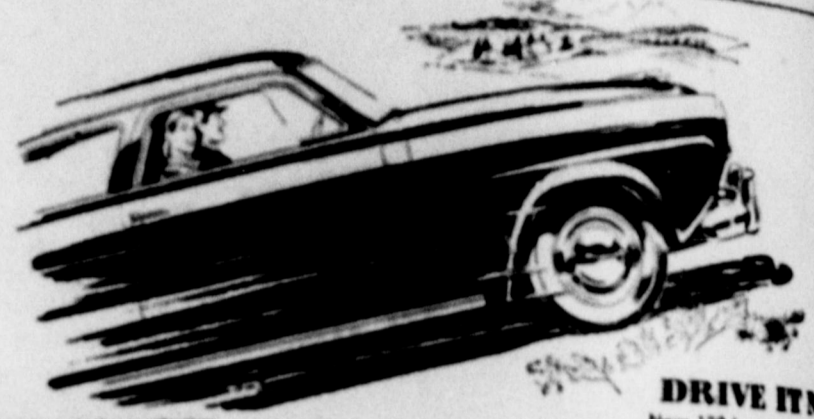
A full schedule of Conference games, plus all highlight inter-sectional games played by Conference schools, will be broadcast over networks comprising 56 radio stations over the state. Schedules are arranged so that fans have a choice of several different broadcasts each week-end.

Familiar microphone personalities will describe the games direct from the stadiums where the action takes place; Humble's veteran staff of announcers, Kern Tipt, Ves Box, Charlie Jordan and Bill Michaels, will handle the play-by-play portions of the broadcasts. Well-known and experienced "color" men will second these announcers and describe the program and half-time activities. Jerry Doggett, Alec Chesser, Eddie Barker, Dave Russell, Bob Walker and John Ferguson comprise the "color" staff.

In order to present the complete radio coverage to which Texas fans have become accustomed, Humble broadcasting crews will be kept moving on close-connection schedules throughout the season. These six-man crews are assisted by dozens of behind-the-scenes workers who will make sure that the complex operations run smoothly week in and week out.

Mrs. Earl C. Cunningham was returned to her home here late Wednesday after 18 days in a San Angelo hospital where she underwent surgery on two different occasions during the period. Mrs. Cunningham, who is reported recovering satisfactorily, asked the Stockman to express her thanks to all her friends who visited her.

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Campaign in Texas

AUSTIN. — Lloyd Gregory of
Houston, prominent sports writer
and news man, has been appointed
Texas State Chairman for the 1952
March of Dimes, Basil O'Connor,
president of the National Founda-
tion for Infantile Paralysis, an-
nounced today.
A partner in the advertising
and public relations firm of Greg-
ory-Giebendanner Co., the Texas
March of Dimes chairman will
serve voluntarily in coordinating
the work of campaign directors in
cities and counties throughout the
Lone Star State. He takes the place
of Ed Stewart, prominent Abilene
business man, who has direct-
ed three state-wide March of
Dimes campaigns.

Gregory was born in Beeville,
graduated from the University of
Texas where he taught Journal-
ism, and for two years headed the
Associated Press Bureau in Aus-
tin. During World War I, he was
a member of the Marine Corps. It
was through Gregory's influence
and leadership that the Battleship
Texas was permanently berthed
at the San Jacinto Battlegrounds.

In Houston, he served as sports
editor ten years and vice presi-
dent and general manager of the
Houston Post four years. Gregory
still maintains an active interest
in sports with a weekly television
program.

In announcing the appointment,
O'Connor said Mr. Gregory was
assuming his post at one of the
most critical moments in the Na-
tional Foundation's history. "The
March of Dimes," he declared,
"has not kept pace with the march
of polio."

"During the last three years
that polio has been on the up-
surge," O'Connor added, "The Na-
tional Foundation has ended each
year in debt. That is why we must
launch the 1952 March of Dimes
on January 2 instead of January
15, doubling the usual two-way
campaign period.

"The costs of patient care are
still tremendously high, and many
a boy and girl will require hospi-
talization for a long period of
time. I know that Mr. Gregory
will provide the kind of leader-
ship so desperately needed at this
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Jennie King Circle
Outlines Study Course
At Opening Meeting

An outline of the year's study
course was given by Mrs. J. Troy
Hickman when the Jenny King
Circle met Wednesday morning in
the home of Mrs. Charles Wil-
liams. Coffee was served preced-
ing the business and program ses-
sion.

Devotional was led by Mrs. Wil-
liams, after which a playlet, "Cast
Thou Bread" was presented by
Mrs. Joe Clayton, Mrs. Charles
Williams, Jr., Mrs. Joe Pierce and
Mrs. Hugh Childress, Jr. A short
business meeting followed.

The next circle meeting will be
on October 10 in the home of Mrs.
Joe Pierce. Attending were Mrs.
Troy Hickman, Mrs. Al Cowan,
Mrs. J. A. Fussell, Mrs. Hugh
Childress, Jr., Mrs. Joe Pierce,
Mrs. S. G. Burt, Mrs. Charles Wil-
liams, Jr., Mrs. Joe Clayton, Mrs.
Paul M. Hallcomb, Mrs. S. G. Burt,
Sr., and Mrs. Charles Williams,
Sr.

BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. George Montgomery was
hostess to her bridge club Friday
morning at the House of Flowers
Tea Room for breakfast. High
score prize went to Mrs. Joe Pierce
low to Mrs. Hillery Phillips and
bingo to Mrs. Scott Peters. Others
present were Mrs. J. C. Montgom-
ery, Mrs. Joe T. Davidson, Mrs.
Victor Pierce, Mrs. S. M. Harvick,
Mrs. Early Baggett, Mrs. Floyd
Henderson, Mrs. H. B. Tandy,
Mrs. Joe Oberkamp, Mrs. W. R.
Baggett, Mrs. L. B. Adams, Mrs.
Tom Harris and Mrs. Pearl Per-
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the road on turns—holds its course on the high-
way with big-car assurance.
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Here and There
By J. Troy Hickman

(Continued From Page One)

interesting street in the town. It is big and wide, and has the city look. On it are many of the most famous buildings. A wind always blows there.

The prices of most things are about like they are here. This is true of food and clothing, especially.

About a week would be required to see all the most interesting things in Chicago, including the parks, the lake front, the art museum, etc. But at the end of the second day I was ready to come home. I was glad I went. But I was also glad to get away. The first things I did when I got home was to crawl in a tub of hot water and wash off a lot of soot. I am still trying to get the trash out of my eyes.

Sunshine Circle of WSCS Meets for First Program of Season

The Sunshine Circle of the Woman's Society of Christian Service met in the first circle meeting of the season Wednesday morning in the home of Mrs. L. B. Cox, III, a social hour starting at 9 o'clock, preceding the business session.

Next Wednesday, September 19, the entire Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Floyd Henderson at 9 a.m. for a program meeting. On September 26, another full Society meeting will be held at the church, also at 9 a.m., for the first study course of the year.

Mrs. J. Troy Hickman gave an outline of the study courses scheduled by the Society for the year.

The next meeting of the Circle will be held on October 10 at 9 a.m. in the home of Mrs. Dempster Jones.

The following members were present for this week's meeting: Mrs. B. B. Ingham, Mrs. J. S. Pierce, III, Mrs. N. W. Graham, Mrs. L. B. Cox, III, Mrs. W. D. Cooper, Mrs. Joe Friend, Mrs. Bill Baggett, Mrs. Paul Ferner, Mrs. M. B. Flippen, and Mrs. Dempster Jones.

Pure Oil Co. Finals Vaughan Field Oiler

The Pure Oil Co. No. 22 R. L. Vaughan, Vaughan (San Andres) oiler in Crockett county, was finalized on the pump in 19 hours, rating 218 barrels of 28.2 gravity oil.

Gas-oil ratio was 299:1. Production was from open hole between 1,401 feet, where 5 1/2-inch casing was set, and 1,427 feet, the total depth. The section was acidized with 2,500 gallons. Location is 330 from south, 2,310 feet from west line of section 61-0P-GCA-8F survey.

A wildcat 4 1/2 miles southwest of the Todd multipay field, Southland Royalty Co. and others No. 1-8 J. S. Todd estate recovered 275 feet of drilling mud on a two-hour drillstem test from 7,355 to 7,640 feet. It was drilling ahead.

Neville G. Penrose of Fort Worth No. 1 University, wildcat 12 miles east of Sheffield, had reached 3,560 feet in shale and time.

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NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF SUB-DIVISION

To any person interested in the sub-division of Lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, Block A-1, in the town of Ozona, Crockett County, Texas, as same appears in a plat filed on said lots by Mrs. Laura Hoover, recorded in Volume 12, Page 344 of County, Texas, is hereby commanded to appear before this court at its regular term on Monday, October 8th, 1951, at 10 A. M. at Court House in Ozona, Crockett County, Texas, to protest, if they so desire, the application of J. W. Owens to cancel said sub-division and throw such land back in to acreage as it existed before such sub-division was made. Said application of J. W. Owens was filed with this court on Monday, October 10th, 1951.

It is ordered, adjudged and decreed by the court that the Sheriff of Crockett County, Texas, publish this notice in some newspaper, published in the English

language in Crockett County, Texas, for at least three weeks prior to action hereon by this court, and that he make due returns thereof to this court.

Witness the name and seal of the Commissioner's Court of Crockett County, Texas, this 10th day of September, A. D. 1951.

(SEAL)
THE COMMISSIONER'S COURT OF CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS.
By: Houston S. Smith, County Judge.
Ira, M. Carson, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1.
Charlie Black, Jr., Commissioner of Precinct No. 2.
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